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SUBJECT Photographs of Soviet and East German
Naval Vessels in the Vicinity of Sassnitz

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The following nine photographs, taken at or near Sassnitz, East Germany,

Subject

Two RIGA-class escort vessels, [redacted] in
left foreground, the after gun turret of another possible 25X1
RIGA-class escort vessel.

Stern view of two RIGA-class escort vessels, [redacted]
[redacted] at left; four side-throwing depth charge projectors are
visible on the Eberntof [redacted] while the projectors
have apparently been removed from the stern of the other RIGA.
View amidships of two RIGA-class escort vessels [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] at left.

View of the forward section of the RIGA-class escort vessel
moored to the right [redacted] showing a canvas- 25X1
covered ASW rocket launcher mounted abaft the No. 2 gun. 25X1

A two-part panorama: a group of P-6-class MTBs, including
[redacted] with a KRONSHITADT-class submarine
chaser behind them; in the background on shore: an unidentified
piece of equipment (behind the trucks on the dock), and a 25X1
building with a sign with Chinese-type characters on it.

LIBAU-class auxiliary communication ship [redacted]

A group of P-6-class MTBs, [redacted]

with a POTHEAD radar [redacted]

A group of P-6-class MTBs [redacted]

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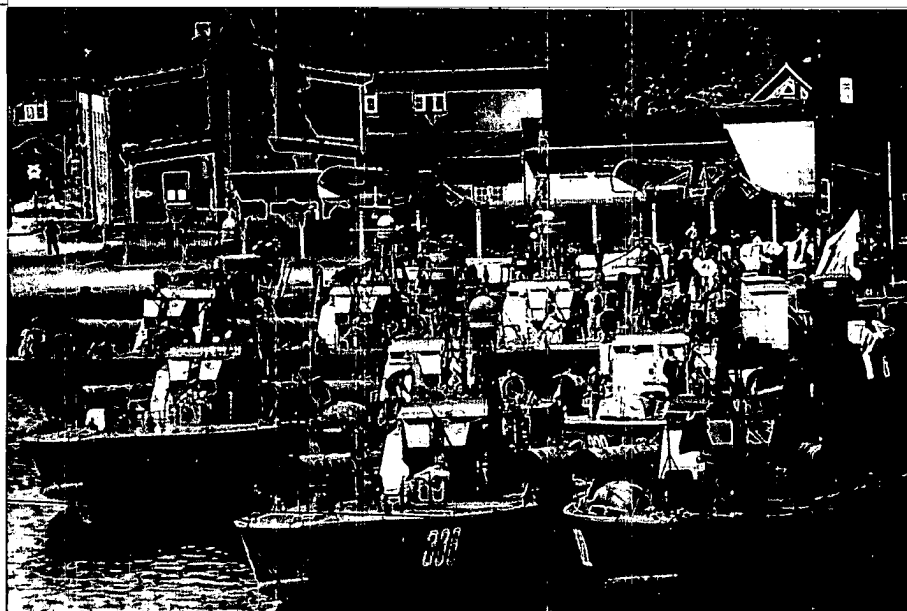
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P-6 CLASS/ MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS

WITH POTHEAD RADAR,

AT SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY

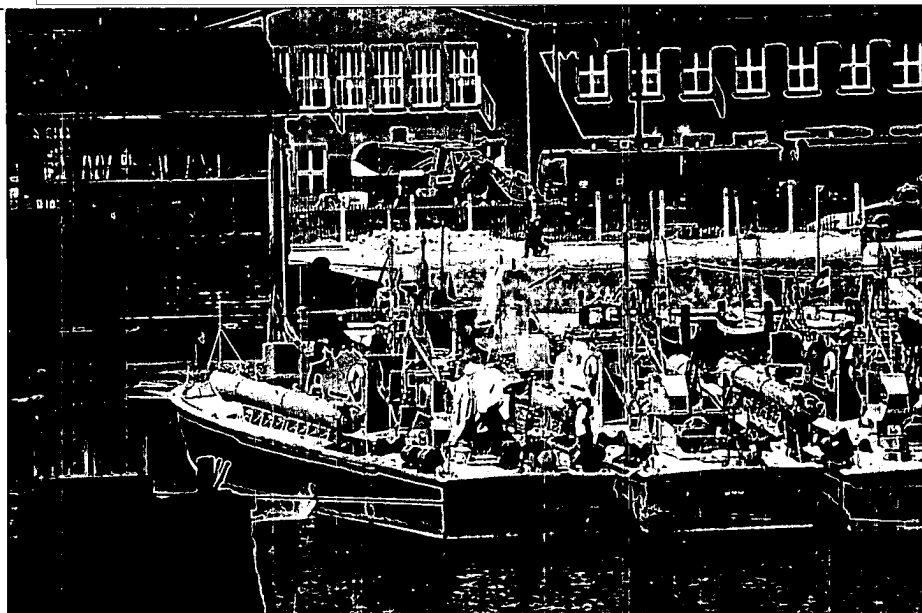


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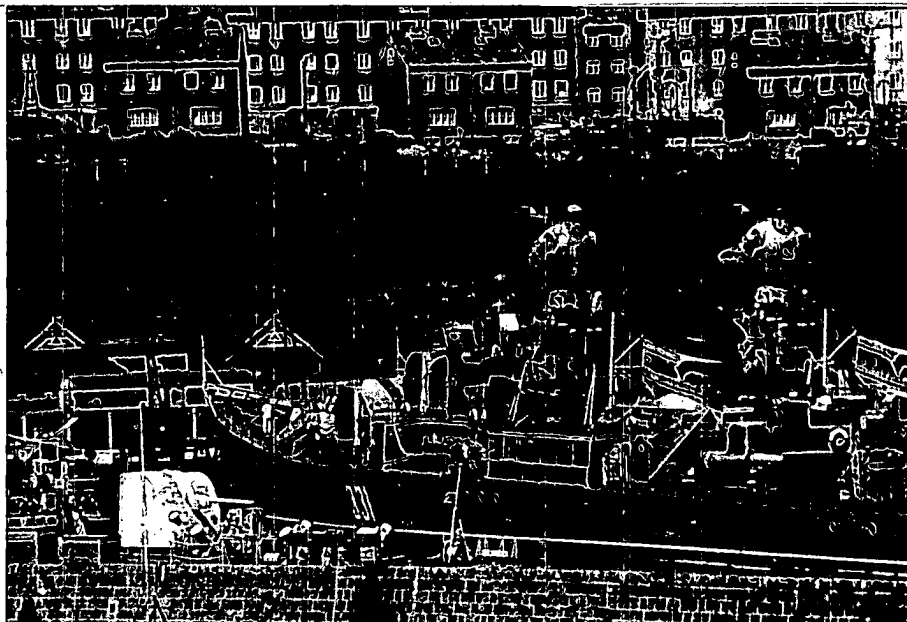
P-6 CLASS MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS, INCLUDING

AT SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY.



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TWO RIGA-CLASS ESCORT VESSELS [REDACTED] AT
SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY. [IN LEFT FOREGROUND, AFTER GUN TURRET
OF ANOTHER POSSIBLE RIGA-CLASS ESCORT VESSEL]. #



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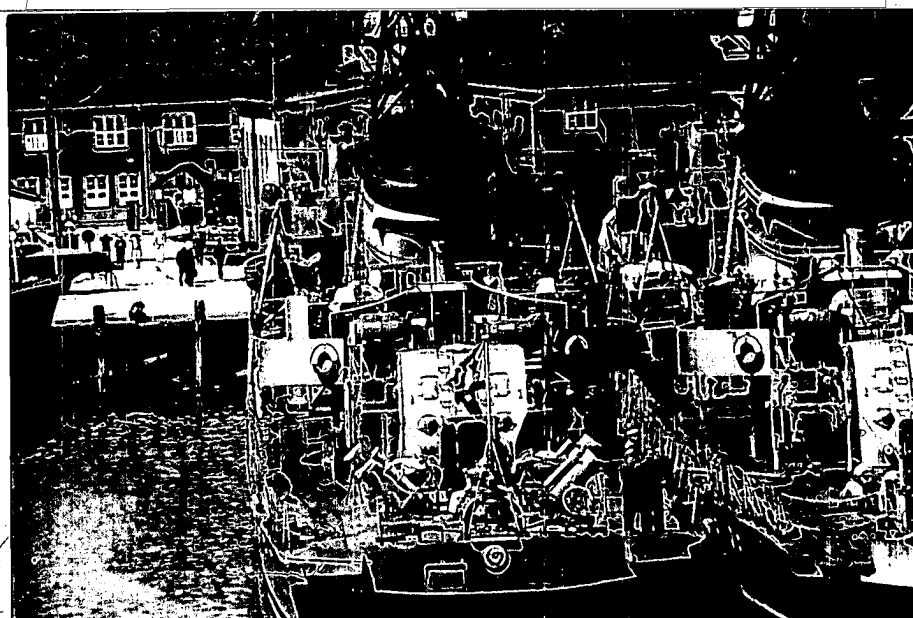
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TWO-RIGA-CLASS ESCORT VESSELS [REDACTED] (AT
LEFT) AT SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY. [NOTE FOUR SIDE-THROWING
DEPTH CHARGE PROJECTORS VISIBLE ON STERN [REDACTED]
WHILE PROJECTORS APPARENTLY HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM STERN
OF OTHER VESSEL]. [REDACTED]

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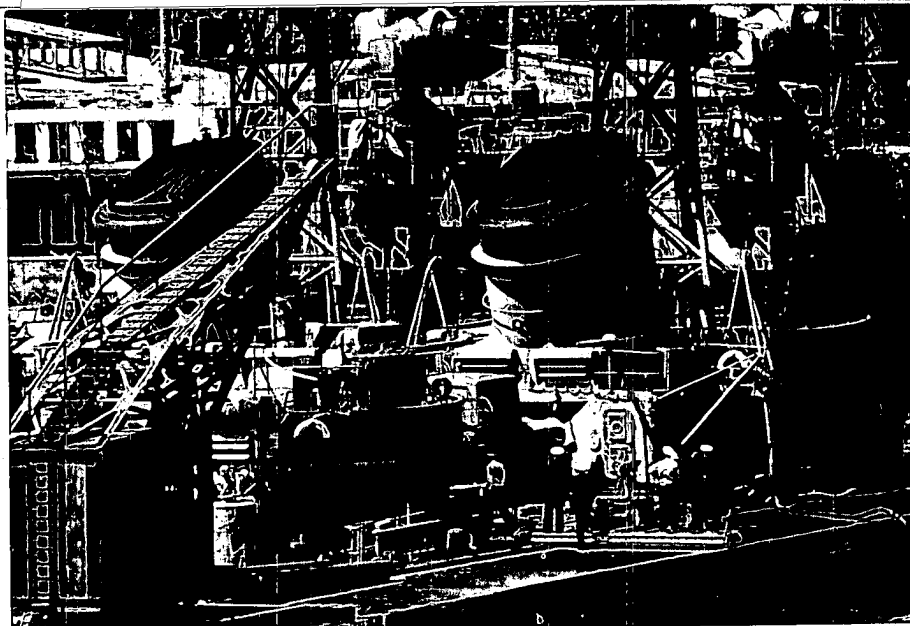
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TWO RIGA-CLASS ESCORT VESSELS

(AT

LEFT) AT SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY.

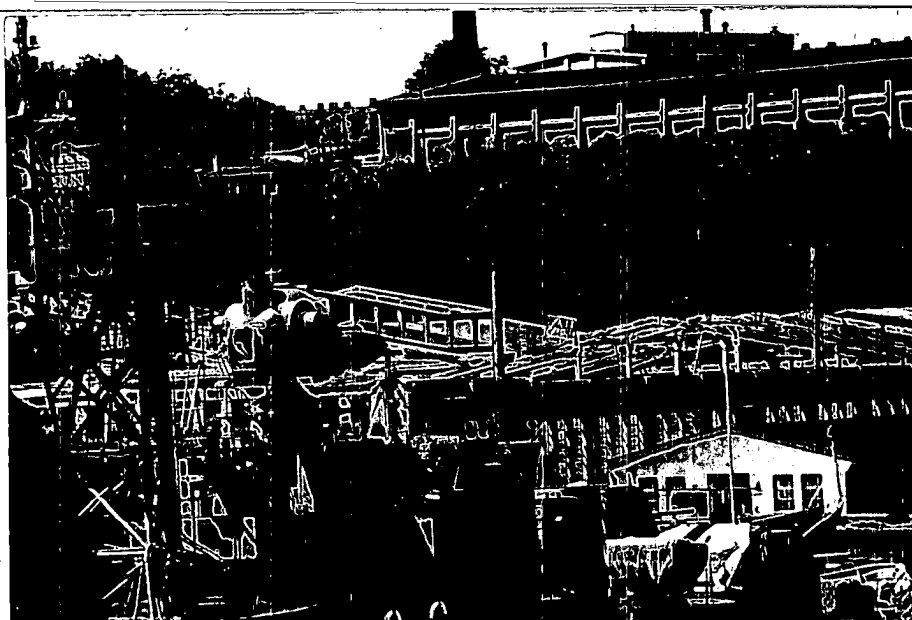
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ONE OF TWO RIGA-CLASS ESCORT VESSELS AT SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY. (NOTE CANVAS-COVERED ASW ROCKET LAUNCHER MOUNTED ABAFT THE NO. 2 GUN/.



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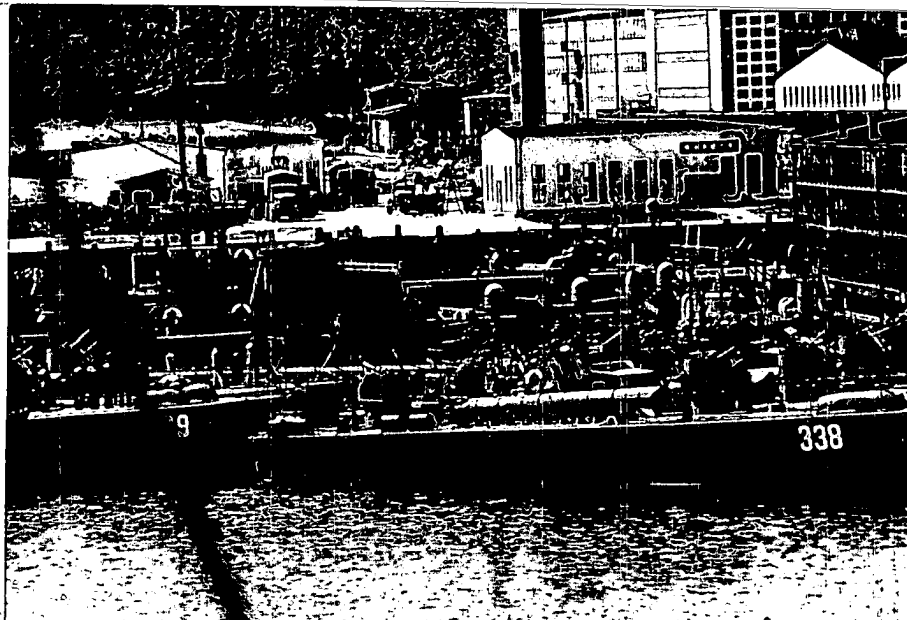
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/P-6 CLASS/ MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS,

WITH KRONSTADT-CLASS SUBCHASER BEHIND THEM, AT
SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY. /ON SHORE IN BACKGROUND:
UNIDENTIFIED EQUIPMENT (BEHIND TRUCKS), AND BUILDING WITH
SIGN HAVING CHINESE-TYPE CHARACTERS/. PART 1 OF 2 PART
PANORAMA.

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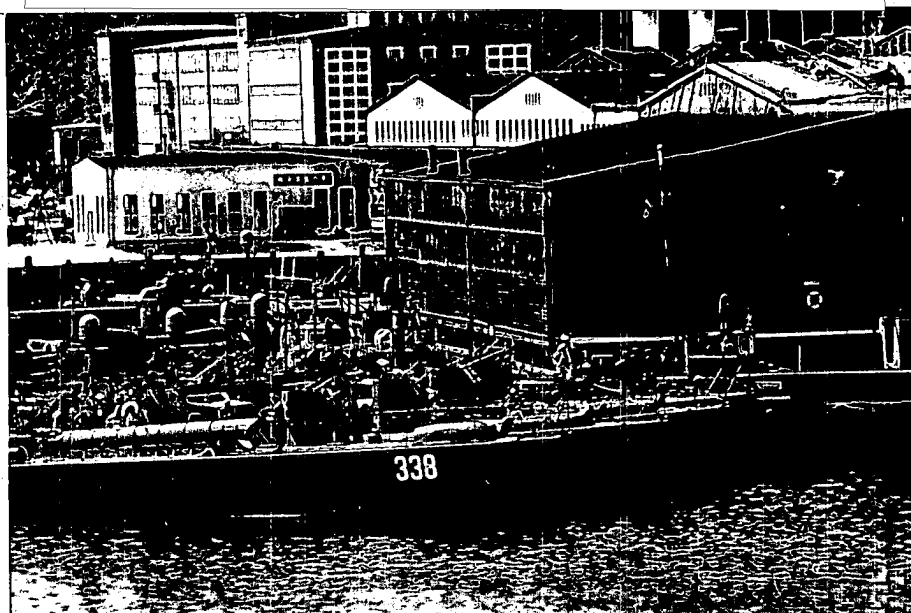


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P-6 CLASS MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS
AT SASSNITZ, EAST GERMANY. PART 2 OF 2 PART PANORAMA

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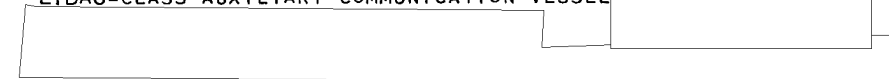


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LIBAU-CLASS AUXILIARY COMMUNICATION VESSEL

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